IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Atty RAM-2333-122

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TC/A.U. 2734

Serial No. 10/623,801

Examiner: YABUT, Diane D.

Date: April 2, 2009

MULTI-MATERIAL CONSTRICTION DEVICE FOR FORMING STOMA OPENING

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 22, 2003

Sir:

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AMENDMENT

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

Total effective claims after amendment 149 minus highest number previously paid for 82 x \$52.00 \$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$ 3,484.00 (at least 20) = Independent claims after amendment minus highest number x \$220.00 \$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$ 1,100.00 previously paid for 9 (at least 3) =5 If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add \$390.00 (1203)/\$0.00 (2203) \$ Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this One Month Extension \$130.00 (1251)/\$0.00 (2251) paper and attachment(s) Two Month Extensions \$490.00 (1252)/\$0.00 (2252) Three Month Extensions \$1110.00 (1253/\$0.00 (2253) 1,110.00 Four Month Extensions \$1730.00 (1254/\$0.00 (2254) Five Month Extensions \$2350.00 (1255/\$0.00 (2255) \$ \$140.00 (1814)/ \$0.00 (2814) Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add Statement filed herewith Applicant claims "small entity" status. Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee \$180.00 (1806) 0.00 Assignment Recording Fee \$40.00 (8021) 0.00 0.00 Other: **TOTAL FEE** \$ 5,694.00

□ CREDIT CARD PAYMENT FORM ATTACHED.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any <u>deficiency</u>, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140.

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